



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **OKAJIMA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2653**

Serial No.: **09/650,757**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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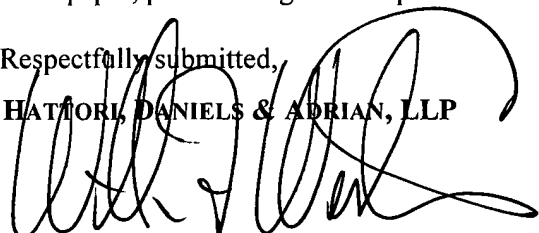
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2004 for a third month from to August 17, 2004 to November 18, 2004. Since a one month extension of time was previously filed on September 17, 2004, the fee is now \$870.00.

Attached please find a check in the amount of **\$870.00** to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,  
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